

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Makoto TASUSAK Serial No.: 10/596,727 Confirmation No.: 9932 Filing or 371(c) Date: June 22, 2006 Title: SIGNAL OUTPUT CIRCUIT AND POWER SOURCE VOLTAGE MONITORING DEVICE USING THE SAME	Art Unit: 2821 Examiner: Unknown
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COMMENTARY RE INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR §1.56, and in recognition of his duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office relevant information known to be material to patentability, Applicant herewith submits the attached Form PTO-SB-08a.

Applicant does not submit the two Foreign References (JP H8-191238 and JP H6-188707) listed in the Official Communication submitted herein because it has been previously cited in an Information Disclosure Statement filed on June 22, 2006.

The statement is not a representation that all of the information cited is necessarily effective as prior art against the application.

Applicant respectfully requests that the cited reference be made of record in the subject application.

Respectfully submitted,

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